

HUNS REACH MARNE ON FRONT OF TEN MILES; EFFORTS OF ALLIES ONLY SLOW GERMAN ARMY

TEUTON FORCES ATTACK HEAVILY IN MAKING GAINS

Chateau Thierry Still in Allied Hands Despite Furious Onslaughts

ALLIES HOLD RHEIMS

Situation Anxious—Boche Have Advanced 26 Miles in 4 Days; Have Reserves Left

HUNS CLAIM 45,000 PRISONERS

New Drive Was Partly Surprise to Entente Officers—Americans Are Given Praise

Amsterdam, Holland, May 31.—A long, heavy aerial attack was made on Zebrugge Thursday night, and at about 1 o'clock there was a tremendous crash and the concussion was felt in the entire neighborhood. Flames rose high in the air and it is supposed that a powder magazine was exploded, according to a flushing dispatch to the Telegraph.

London, England, May 31.—The Germans in their Champagne offensive in France have now reached the right bank of the River Marne on a ten mile front, according to a statement given to the Associated Press today by the British general staff.

The statement says that the Germans have not yet entered Chateau Thierry, but they are attacking heavily here and to the northward. The announcement, which is said to express the opinion of the general staff continues:

Rheims Situation Desperate.

"The situation around Rheims is not quite clear, but if it is not already lost, it seems clear it must fall very soon."

"Yesterday the French were driven back to a line from Noyon to Soissons."

"A new development is the German attempt to extend their attacks to the east of Rheims, where they were reported to be attacking last night, but no further details have yet been received."

"The situation is a very anxious one, not only because the Germans have made such rapid progress—an advance of 26 miles in four days, but also because they still have such large reserves available to be thrown into the battle at any point."

Attack Not So Serious as Others.

"The attack during the past week has not been so serious as other attacks at other points in the Allied line, because we have more room for maneuver and can better afford to fall back. Another thing that must be considered is that the Germans are rapidly using up their effectives. Thus far they have employed probably 45 divisions in the present attack."

"The question has been much discussed in the past few days whether this German attack was a surprise to the Allies. It cannot be called a complete surprise, because of the fact that enemy concentrations in the Laon area were known, but until a day or two before the battle we had no indication that an attack on a big scale was intended."

Germans Prepared at Night.

"The Germans were very skillful in keeping secrecy and in bringing up their troops at night. They had prepared for an attack on this part of the line for a long time, constructing the necessary gun emplacements and assembly places so that our aircraft did not observe any construction of new trenches or emplacements before the attack. The German use of artillery before the attack was of a different character than heretofore."

"Their guns did not register on definite targets, but selected merely a wide area and shelled it continuously. It has been always difficult for aircraft to obtain definite strategic information. Thus in 1914, aircraft found it very hard to detect

American Transport Sunk While on Homeward Trip

Washington, D. C., May 31.—Admiral Sims reported today the torpedoing and sinking of the transport President Lincoln, returning to the United States from Europe. No details were given.

The dispatch said the vessel was sunk at 10:30 o'clock this morning. No mention was made of casualties.

The President Lincoln, a 15,000 ton vessel, formerly was a Hamburg-American trans-Atlantic liner, plying between Europe and New York, and was taken over by the government at the declaration of war.

The vessel sank within an hour after she was struck. Her position was not disclosed in the brief dispatch announcing her destruction.

The navy department issued this statement:

"The navy department has received a despatch from Vice Admiral Sims stating that the U. S. S. President Lincoln was torpedoed at 10:30 o'clock this morning and sank an hour later. The vessel was returning from Europe. No further particulars have been received."

Navy officials waited anxiously tonight for further details, but as the attack occurred by daylight and the ship remained afloat for an hour, they felt certain the casualty list would be small and probably limited to a few men killed or injured by the explosion.

columns on the right, and much doubt existed as to the actual front covered by the German advance in Belgium.

"Under the conditions which prevailed in the region of the Chemin-des-Dames, an initial success could hardly be prevented. Nor can it be prevented anywhere, where there are not adequate reserves immediately available."

"The Allies have these disadvantages; first, they are inferior in numbers; second, they are acting on exterior lines; third, they have many vulnerable points; fourth, north of the Somme they have little foot in which to maneuver."

"It is not fair to blame the high command when the Allies have inherently an unfavorably strategic position. If it is said that the high command placed three tired British divisions on an exposed part of the front, it must be remembered that disposition was made with full agreement of the British headquarters."

"No review of the past week would be complete without mention of the fine exploit of the American troops in the capture of Cantigny. It was an extremely well conducted operation, and in view of the fact that the troops were untried it is notable that they not only captured their objective but held it. It is always much more difficult to consolidate and retain a position than to capture it, and the performance of the Americans shows the very high standard, as well as their training, bravery and fighting qualities."

Germans Claim 45,000 Prisoners.

Berlin, Germany, via London, England, May 31.—"More than 45,000 prisoners and far in excess of 400 guns and thousands of machine guns have been taken by the Germans according to the German officials."

Between March 21 and April 5 the Germans took prisoners from the British and French ranks in excess of 90,000 in the battle before Cambrai, according to an official communication issued by the German war office April 5. The communication asserted that more than 1,500 guns also had been captured.

Germans Repulsed Say French.

Paris, France, May 31.—German attacks on French positions on the right bank of the Ailette river have been repulsed. The Germans have reached the Marne, light detachments having penetrated as far as the river between Chateaufort and Jaulgonne. On the right flank of the battle area the situation is unchanged, which is also the condition west and north of Rheims according to the official statement of the war office tonight.

CROZIER BACK FROM FRONT.

Washington, D. C., May 31.—Major Gen. Crozier, chief of advance and member of Secretary Baker's war council, returned to Washington today after an extended stay in Europe for observation of the handling of certain problems there.

AVIATOR FALLS TO DEATH.

Montgomery, Al., May 31.—George H. Lacoste, 24, cadet aviator, was killed at Taylor field this afternoon when his plane went into a nose dive and fell about 200 feet.

HOSPITAL HIT BY HUN BOMBS, KILLING MANY

American Doctor Among Casualties Was Aid- ing An Operation

FIRE CAUSES HAVOC

Despite Great Red Cross Signs and Bright Moon Boche De- liberately Drop Missiles

WAR'S WORST HOSPITAL DISASTER

Desperate Situation of Roaring Furnace With Inmates Help- less to Escape Flames

(By the Associated Press.)

With the British army in France, May 31.—Early on Thursday morning German planes bombed another hospital—this a Canadian institution—inflicting a considerable toll of casualties. Among those killed by the explosion or flames was an American medical officer, who was administering an anesthetic to a British officer in the operating room when that part of the hospital was demolished. The raid occurred at 12:30 o'clock in the morning.

The hospital attacked was a large one. It had been in existence since the early days of the war and was marked by huge Red Cross signs. The German airmen, working by the light of the moon, dropped four bombs near the hospital and then, not apparently able to see exactly where they were hitting, lighted a brilliant flare, which was let fall to illuminate the surroundings.

Bomb Wrecks Part of Wing.

As the place was lighted up by this flare, they released another bomb or two, which dropped squarely on a large wing of the hospital. In this wing there were three floors, on the bottom one of which was the operating room. On the story above were the office and patients' room, and above them were members of the hospital personnel. Part of the wing was demolished by the terrific explosion, and many unfortunate people were killed and wounded when the building collapsed and buried them. Strange to say, those who were on the top floor had better luck than those below them, and several escaped because they fell on top of the debris.

The surgeons were just about to operate on an aviation officer, and the American was standing by with the anesthetic when the crash came. All in the room were buried under an avalanche of brick and woodwork. The demolished wing caught fire and burned fiercely with many victims still pinned in the wreckage.

Nothing more awful has occurred in the annals of the hospital service since the war began. Every available person in the neighborhood was called out to aid in rescue work, and two fire brigades were called. It was a desperate situation. A roaring furnace represented what was left of the big wing.

SKINNER FOR PERSHING'S ARMY.

Camp Dix, N. J., May 31.—In response to an appeal by General Pershing to send the best camp song director available, the Young Men's Christian association council has selected W. Stanley Hawkins of Albany, stationed at this cantonment to overseas, it was announced here tonight. Mr. Hawkins, who directed singing at the officers' training camp at Plattsburgh before he came here will leave soon for France.

What is said to be the largest class of foreigners ever made citizens in Jersey at one time took the oath of allegiance here today, when 354 soldiers stationed at this camp were naturalized.

LAUNCH CONCRETE BARGE.

Peekskill, May 31.—The first sea-going vessel to be built of concrete in the east, was launched by the Lewis Brown company at its Verbank Point shipyard here. The boat is a 700 ton barge. It was "poured" within a few months. The vessel will be used to carry coal or oil.

The Navy Needs At Once 1,000 Gas Engine Men

The Naval Reserve force must enroll at once 1,000 men experienced in the operation and maintenance of gasoline engines.

This is an urgent call. The men are required for immediate duty. They will be rated as Machinists' Mates.

Age limits are eighteen to thirty-five inclusive. Applicants must be American citizens. Draft registrants with letters from their local boards will be accepted.

Apply at Naval Reserve Enrolling office, 51 Chambers street, New York, or any Navy Recruiting station.

WORKING ON NEW R. R. HIGHER RATE SCHEDULE

Traffic Committees Appointed For East, West and South—Pro- tests Flood Railway Board

Washington, D. C., May 31.—To work out many changes to be made in the new higher rate schedules, Director General McAdoo today appointed traffic committees for the eastern, western and southern districts and for local regions to hear complaints of shippers and recommend modifications.

At the same time it became known that the railroad administration that the Director General plans to order a number of reductions in rates, to maintain existing rate relationships between rival communities, and to protect certain industries before June 25, when the new schedules are to go into effect.

Interurban electric lines are considering a general increase in both freight and passenger rates, it was learned here today. Such increases in cost cases would be subject to review by state commissions.

While the railroad administration today was flooded with new protests against the revisions of the rate order, the system of thrashing out rate problems was developed. The following explanation of the traffic committee arrangement was made:

The Director General invites the co-operation of the shipping public in working out a satisfactory adjustment of freight rates on the higher level, now necessary. All shippers, who desire to make suggestions as to the maintenance of established differentials or the re-adjustment of freight rates under general order No. 25, may present their views through the freight traffic offices of the railroads serving them, but if shippers feel after presenting such matters to their own roads that they want their views given further consideration the freight committee of the territory or district involved will be glad to hear or consider any proposal or suggestion the shippers have to offer.

SKINNER DIAMONDS FOUND.

Located in Small Box Underneath a Linen Chest.

Since the death of the late Mrs. John R. Skinner, the executor of the estate, James R. Gerling, had been puzzled and much perplexed because of inability to locate the diamonds of Mrs. Skinner, it being known that she had diamond earrings and several rings. The house was searched, it was supposed from top to bottom, and no trace of her jewels could be found. Those of Mr. Skinner were found in the safe deposit box at the Wilbur National but the others were missing.

At the auction sale the first day announcement was made that if any article sold be found to contain the diamonds it should be understood that they were the property of the estate. The first day passed and still no trace of the missing stones. When night came and the house was being rearranged for the sale of the second day, it was thought wise to straighten out the carpet of her sleeping room, the racks in which had been taken out to permit people to examine it. It had become out of place and in efforts to smooth it out it was found necessary to lift a small linen chest, not unlike a trunk, which was supposed to rest upon its bottom. When it was lifted underneath it was found a small box containing the jewels. The moulting about the bottom edge of the chest had hidden the fact that it was raised about two inches above the floor by the moulting. All of the jewels that had been missing were in the box.

CORNELL PICKED AS WINNER.

Philadelphia, Pa., May 31.—Cornell came through true to form today in the preliminary trials for the championship of the intercollegiate association of the Amateur athletes of America, the finals of which are to be held on Franklin field tomorrow. The Ithacans qualified 16 men in the 11 events for which trials were held today and at no time were any of their men pushed to the limit to get a place in the finals.

MORE LOCAL NEWS

WAR CHEST NEARING MARK

Fund Not Entirely Tabulated, But Believed to Be in Excess of \$25,000 With More Subscriptions in Sight.

We still have with us the Oneonta War Chest and not until every resident of the city has been given an invitation to subscribe should the final total be given. It is hoped that the workers will be able to finish the remaining streets very quickly now, the delays being caused by the holiday, which prevented many from doing all the work assigned within the week. While the complete total to last evening could not be ascertained, it is confidently believed that it is something over \$25,000 and that with a continued response from those yet to be seen that the second goal will be reached.

In another column is printed a list of donations made not strictly in accordance with the plan, but which evidences interest in the project and which sum makes the project substantially larger for the first year at least. Many of these will renew for the succeeding years if the war shall continue, and it is believed that the amount secured can be made good by those who wish to aid the Red Cross and other organizations dependent upon the War Chest.

The committee again requests all who have the certificates to display them and those who have subscribed but have not yet secured one of them to call at the Chamber of Commerce rooms and secure one. Those who have not yet handed in their subscription, no matter what the reason for delay, are urged to call at one of the places where they have been left and make their donations now while they are needed to reach the final goal.

ELEVEN LEAVE FOR TRAINING

Will Be Instructed Along Mechanical Lines—Men Turned 21 Must Register June 5.

The following eleven men, inducted into service yesterday afternoon by the Local Board under the second National War Column, leave this morning for the camps where they will receive the training which will fit them to do skilled work along mechanical lines in General Pershing's army: Leon T. Patnode, Burton Trautner, Clinton Trautner, and Earl A. Haskins, Camp Meade, Admiral, Md.; Joseph McDonald, Aviator Mobilization Camp, Fort Wayne, Mich.; William Livingston and Ernest D. Smith, Camp Dix, Wrightstown, N. J.; Raffaele Coloma, Fort Myer, Va.; Bert Hore and Douglas E. Bailey, Camp Hancock, Augusta, Ga.; Fay E. Kelley, Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indianapolis, Indiana.

Attention is called by the Local Board to the fact that every young man who has attained the age of 21 years since June 5, 1917, must register under the Selective Service act on June 5, next Wednesday, unless he is in the military or naval service of the United States on that date. The men residing within the jurisdiction of the Local Board, which embraces the City of Oneonta and the towns of Oneonta, Milford, Maryland, Laurens, Oregon, Unadilla, Worcester, and Butternut, must register at its office, Room 8, Oneonta Hotel Building, in person between the hours of 7 a. m. and 9 p. m., June 5.

EDITORS' SUMMER GATHERING.

Semi-Annual Meeting of Susquehanna Valley Press Association.

The semi-annual meeting of the Susquehanna Valley Press association is to be held at Cooperstown on Saturday next, at which all the editors and their wives in this section are expected to gather. The Cooperstown Board of Trade has arranged some pleasing features for the editors. At 11 o'clock a business session is to be held, during which time the ladies will be taken for an automobile ride about the village.

At 1 p. m. a dinner will be served by the Cooperstown Home Economics club, under the supervision of the county department of Home Economics. The meal will be a "Hoover Dinner," wheatless and meatless, and while it is being served the different dishes will be explained by the expert in charge.

The following addresses are to follow the dinner: Welcome from the Chamber of Commerce, Secretary Ralph S. Baker; Welcome to Cooperstown, by Rowan D. Spraker, editor of the Cooperstown Journal; Response, President Emerson Demaree, of the Harpersville Budget; "Preachers," Della Thompson Luter, editor Table Talk; "State Press Association," President Frank E. Gannett, of the New York State Press association. After the speeches, the visitors will be taken for a boat ride about Otsego lake, through the courtesy of the Cooperstown Board of Trade and the Otsego Lake Transit company.

Big Liner Cuts U-Boat in Two off Irish Coast

An Atlantic Port, May 31.—A German submarine lying in wait for transports carrying American troops was rammed and sunk by a large British transport off the Irish coast during the second week in May, according to authentic information brought here today by a prominent American returning from an important mission to England.

The ship which sunk the submarine is one of the largest liners known to American and European travelers and hit the submarine full amidships after a torpedo had been fired and the transport was maneuvering to make way for accompanying destroyers to drop depth charges. It is possible, the American said, that the submarine might have been forced to the surface by one of the explosions, but at any rate it came up less than 50 yards in front of the liner. In full view of the soldiers gathered on her deck, the steamer ran into the submarine and "cut her like a piece of cheese," the American said.

ANTI-LOAFING LAW IS NOW IN EFFECT

All Able Bodied Men, 18 to 50, Must Be Engaged in Use- ful Occupation

Albany, May 31.—Governor Whitman today made public the text of the Anti-Loafing Proclamation, which he will issue tomorrow.

The proclamation sets forth that the industries of the state related to and essential in the successful prosecution of the war and the production, transportation and conservation of food supplies requires a large supply of labor to be regularly and habitually engaged therein. It continues:

"Now, therefore, I, Charles S. Whitman, governor of the State of New York do hereby proclaim that the public exigency requires that every able-bodied male person, between the ages of eighteen and fifty years, inclusive, be habitually and regularly engaged in some lawful, useful and recognized business, profession, occupation, trade or employment, until the termination of the present war with Germany and its Allies, or until the Governor by like proclamation may otherwise order."

The proclamation also declares that any able-bodied male person between eighteen and fifty years of age who refuses to be employed for at least thirty-six hours a week, or who after unsuccessfully seeking employment fails to register with the Bureau of Employment or the Department of Labor, or with such agency as the State Industrial Commission may designate, within thirty days, or who refuses to accept employment assigned to him by the commission, or who continues out of employment without having registered, is liable to a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars or imprisonment for not more than three months, or both.

Sheriffs and all others charged with the enforcement of the law are directed to "seek diligently the names and places of residence of able-bodied males within their respective jurisdictions, between the aforesaid ages, not regularly or continuously employed," and shall render to the Industrial Commission such assistance and service in carrying out the provisions of the law as may reasonably be required or requested by the commission.

New York Ready for Round-up.

New York, May 31.—Drastic steps to enforce the state anti-loafing law with definite classification of a score of more or less picturesque developments as non-essential were decided upon at a conference here tonight of police officials with Chief Magistrate McAdoo of the city court.

Police Commissioner Enright announced that his 12,000 policemen were ready to begin at midnight gathering in the idlers, but when the chief magistrate gave an opinion that arrests cannot be made until the expiration of the 50 days' grace for obtaining jobs, allowed by Governor Whitman's proclamation, orders were issued to withhold enforcement of the statute until June 20.

The police department heads its list of useless "occupations" with real dance artists and ballroom experts, following with semi-professional and amateur ball players, bulletin board brokers, saloon idlers, "dope dealers" and shop idlers. All "human parasites" are placed under the ban.

ENEMY EXTENDS ATTACK ALONG AILETTE RIVER

Battle Extends East of Rheims Which Is Ex- pected to Fall

DRIVE IS UNCHECKED

On Heights North of Marne Teu- tons Have Rushed On, Pushing Poilus Roughly Aside

BOCHE TURNING TOWARD PARIS

With Fall of Chateau Thierry, Huns May Move Down Marne —Foch Withholds Reserves

Plunging southward with its momentum still unspent, the German war machine has driven its wedge into the Allied lines along the front until its attacks have reached the Marne river south of Fere-en-Tardenois. The desperate efforts of the French and British to check the invaders have served only to slow down the rate of speed of the German advance; the defenders of the heights north of the Marne seem to have been swept aside in the rush of the enemy toward the road to Paris.

Aside from the movement of the German armies southward two other significant facts incidents of the tremendous battle have occurred. One is that the Germans have extended their attack to the northwest along the Ailette river from which the French have fallen back for some distance. The other is that the battle has extended to the east of Rheims, which city during the first few days of the offensive formed the extreme eastern end of the line of battle.

Along the sides of the salient formed by the rapid German advance to the Marne, the French and British have been holding their positions gallantly. South of Soissons the French have defended their line with such vigor that the Germans have not made much impression on it. On the other side of the battle area the British are still holding the forest of Rheims and positions just west of that war stricken city.

Front Sags South at Center.

Between the extreme sides of the salient the front sags towards the south, the line from Rheims to the Marne, running to the southwest at a gentle angle, while the French are holding a front at right angles to the direction of the German advance.

The occupation of Chateau Thierry marks the beginning of the expected turning movement towards Paris, which the Germans were believed to have planned.

If the town has been taken in its entirety the Germans may be expected to move down the Marne. Before they can go far in this direction, however, it will be necessary for them to break the French lines south of Soissons, for as long as the French stand firm along the Soissons-Hartennes road, the German advance is in jeopardy. The Germans, however, claim already to have crossed this line. Their attack along the Ailette may be the beginning of a movement that will seek to prevent the French from making a heavy attack somewhere in the neighborhood of Soissons.

Foch Has Not Used Reserves.

Gen. Foch, the commander-in-chief of the allied forces, has not brought his reserves into action. All reports from the field of battle tell of the allied forces being vastly outnumbered. The German official report claims that over 45,000 prisoners and more than 400 guns have been taken by the Teutons since the beginning of the battle on Monday not counting large numbers of machine guns. This may be compared with the German claims of more than 90,000 prisoners and over 1,500 guns captured from March 21 to April 5 in the Picardy battle.

German airmen have been adding horrors to the fighting by their deliberate attacks on hospitals back of the allied lines. One large receiving station behind the American positions is Picardy has been bombed. A Canadian hospital was also attacked and partly burned by another German raiding party.

Disorders in Ukraine are reported. It is stated that villages near Khiet were drenched with poisonous gas by the Germans and whole communities were asphyxiated.

BASEBALL RESULTS

NATIONAL LEAGUE

SINGLES WITH FULL BASES.

Young Send-In Winning Run in Sixth For the Giants.

Philadelphia, Pa., May 31.—Young's single with the bases filled in the sixth, won today's game for New York, 2 to 1.

R H E
New York 6 0 0 2 0 0 0—2 19 2
Philadelphia 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—1 6 6
Batteries—Salter and Rariden; Hogg, Davis and E. Barnes.

POOR PLAYING AT PITTSBURGH.

Ineffective Pitching and Heavy Hitting in Game Won by Pirates.

Pittsburgh, Pa., May 31.—In a game which was marked by ineffective pitching and heavy hitting, Pittsburgh won from St. Louis, 12 to 7.
St. Louis 4 0 0 0 0 0 0—3 7 10 4
Pittsburgh 0 0 7 0 6 3 0—12 12 0
Batteries—Sherrill, Horstman, May and Snyder; Jacobs, Steele, Sanders and Schmidt.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

SHOCKER DEFEATS DETROIT.

St. Louis Wins From Tigers, 3 to 2 in Eight Innings.

Detroit, Mich., May 31.—Detroit was able to hit Shocker safely only three times today and lost to St. Louis 3 to 2. The game was called at the end of the eighth inning to allow St. Louis to catch a train.

R H E
St. Louis 0 0 0 2 1 0 0—3 6 2
Detroit 0 0 2 0 0 0 0—2 3 0
Batteries—Shocker and Nunnemaker, Boland, C. Jones and Yello, Spencer.

Old papers for shelves and floors, 5 cents per bundle of 50, at The Star office.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

The New York Markets.

New York, May 31.—Trading in stocks during the greater part of today's unsettled session was influenced almost entirely by war conditions, which effected early recessions of one to three points in important issues.

In the final hour the market was enlivened by a buoyant advance in shippings, which carried most of those shares far above final prices of the previous session.

Marine preferred, on accumulation of the most confident character, made a net gain of 9% points to 104%, the common gaining 4% and the 6 per cent bonds 4%.

The movement in marines coincided with a meeting of the directors at which progress in the proposed sale of the company's British tonnage through British financial interests, was reported.

Other active stocks also experienced a rebound from minimum levels.

United States Steel, selling minus 1/8 regular and extra dividends of 4 1/2 per cent, made an extreme reaction of almost three points, rallying over half, but rushing at a net loss of two points.

Allied industrials and equipments fared better in the main, and rails after forfeiting initial advances made a sharp rebound, as did also sundry specialties and unclassified issues.

There was a marked increase of trading in bonds, but this centered mainly in Liberty issues all but the 3 1/2 reflecting continuous pressure at lower records. New minimums were 94 for the first 4s, 92 1/2 for the second 4s and 96 1/2 for the 4 1/2s, offerings of the latter being especially large. United States bonds (old issues) were unchanged on call.

New York Produce.

New York, May 31.—Butter weak, receipts 16,000. Creamery, higher than extras 42 1/2 @ 44 creamery, extras (92 score) 42 1/2 @ 44, 100s 44 @ 44 1/2, packing stock, current market, No. 2 43 1/2 @ 44.

Eggs irregular, receipts 12,000. Fresh gathered, extras 37 1/2 @ 38, fresh gathered, storage packed, extras 35 1/2 @ 36 1/2, do. regular packed, extras 35 1/2 @ 36 1/2, do. firsts 33 1/2 @ 34 1/2, state, Penna. and near western, heavy whites fine to fancy 41 1/2 @ 42, do. brown 38 1/2 @ 39, do. gathered brown and mixed colors 39 1/2 @ 40.

Cheese steady, receipts 2,000. State fresh, specials 20 or average ran 22. Like poultry strong, turkeys 50 @ 70, others unchanged. Dressed 40 @ 70, 115 @ 120, of course and turkeys unchanged.

New York Wheat.

New York, May 31.—Wheat receipts 1,400, steady. 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The following contributions have been received. They are for stated amounts and not annually during the continuation of the war. Many of them will be no doubt renewed at the end of the first year, while others are made by residents who will remove from the city, after a few months or who for good reasons felt they were not warranted in making them for the period of the war:

Armstrong, Frank	6.00
Anable, Mr. and Mrs. Frank	5.00
Aylsworth, Mary L.	1.00
Brewer, Mrs. Byron	3.00
Beach, Mrs. Walter	2.00
Bissell, Frank	12.00
Brewer, Mrs. E. W.	.50
Baker, C. H.	50.00
Baker, Mr. and Mrs. W.	1.00
Boakes, George L.	36.00
Brightman, Mary S.	5.00
B., Mrs.	1.00
Carr Clothing Company	12.13
Connor, John J.	1.00
Carlington, Ralph	5.00
Cuck, Anna M.	3.00
Cuck, Ella C.	3.00
Coons, Mrs.	2.00
Collins, Mrs. Chas. W.	10.00
Demere, Willard	20.00
Doofle, Ethelwyn	25.00
Fisher, Catharine C.	10.00
Fisher, Mary S.	5.00
Ford, Sylvester	100.00
Ford, E. R.	100.00
Germond, Melissa	1.00
Gibbs, Geo. L.	75.00
Glenn, Thomas	5.00
Gleason, Elizabeth	.50
Gilbert, Mrs.	1.00
Goodrich, Mrs. L. B.	5.00
Gifford, Florence M.	3.00
Hag, Mrs. Minnie E.	1.00
Holtrege, Mrs. J. E. and Miss Beulah	6.00
Huntington, S. L.	50.00
Henderson, John	12.00
House, B. C.	5.00
Hodge, William	12.00
Herrick, Mr. and Mrs. C. W.	60.00
Ingalls, G. W.	12.00
Jenks, A. E.	12.00
Jenks, Mr. and Mrs. G. E.	12.00
Jenks, Alton C.	9.00
Jackson, Mrs. M. E.	12.00
Johns, Benjamin M.	30.00
Keach, Mrs. Lulu	1.50
Lane, Mrs. Geo.	5.00
Lake, D. C.	12.00
Layman, Mrs. Ferris	1.00
Livingston, John	12.00
Miller, Frank D.	600.00
Morris, Miss Belle E.	24.00
Martie, Ophelia	5.00
Morgan, Mrs. M. P.	10.00
Mumford, C. J.	5.00
McLaury, Mrs. H. D.	5.00
Mills, Mrs. David H.	20.00
Mabon, J. P.	10.00
Newkirk, Mrs. Alice	3.00
Namat, Mrs. Stephen	.25
Niles, Mrs. S. C. and Mrs. Germond	25.00
Neer, Frank	1.00
Oneonta L. & P. Company	50.00
Parish, Lee G.	5.00
Partridge, F. S.	15.00
Platt, William	6.00
Pickett, Mrs. Clara L.	6.00
Quality Silk Mill	100.00
Reeder, Harry	5.00
Reynolds, Mrs. Elizabeth	6.00
Riley, Martin	20.00
Robbins, Mr. and Mrs. Judd	12.00
Riverside Manufacturing Co.	50.00
Schumacher, Charles A.	60.00
Sweeney, Anna M.	24.00
Smith, D. A.	12.00
Stringham, Maud M. and Marie L.	25.00
Sloat, Jennie L.	5.00
Smith, Claude V.	18.00
Shepherd, H. L.	12.00
Scramling, Mrs. Sarah	1.00
Seely, Elmer	12.00
Sigsbee, Mrs. Arthur	12.00
Smith, Gertrude M.	12.00
Silvernail, Wm. L.	6.00
Stapleton, Mrs. and daughter Stronigan, Edna	1.00
Tamsett, Mrs. Lucy	1.00
Taylor, Jerome	12.00
Tyler, Jennie L.	12.00
Teller, Mr. and Mrs. E. R.	2.00
VanWoert, Mr. and Mrs. Alton	5.00
VanWoert, Mrs. L.	5.00
Vordemark, Louis W.	5.00

Vunck, Mrs. Samuel	2.00
Vunck, Samuel	3.00
Vandusen, W. C.	3.00
Wright, William	25.00
Woolworth, F. F. Co.	105.00
Wilbur, Jesse	9.00
Weyrauch, Ida	3.00
Wood, Rev. S. H. and wife	6.00
Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. J. L.	12.00
Winn, Fred	2.00
Walting, Mrs. Lois	5.00
Wade, Mrs. W.	5.00
Waler, Roswell W.	4.00
Wilson, Frances M.	2.00
Yager, Willard E.	150.00
Yager, Enos	12.00
Youngman, Mrs. C. T.	1.00

LEAVING FOR SERVICE.

Joseph McDonald Remembered by Friends in Otsego Street Mission.
Joseph McDonald, a popular employee at The Otsego, is expected to leave the city today for service, having been enlisted for service as a major on Thursday evening, at the Otsego Street Colored mission church, his friends gave him a farewell party, at which fully 150 were in attendance and at which he was presented with a number of pretty gifts by the friends gathered. The principal address of the evening was given by Clifford Parish, who, after referring to the duty the colored people owe to the nation which gave them their liberty and assured it for all time, declared it to be the duty of all men of the race to stand loyally by the country in this hour, when it is struggling to make the world free for all races and all peoples. He followed with some complimentary references to Mr. McDonald and the good wishes that went with the gifts presented, and appealed to all to do their part in the struggle. The occasion was an enjoyable one, marred only by the thought of separation.

Bulgarian Carpets Prized.

While carpets have been woven in Bulgaria for nearly 150 years the production of the finer qualities dates from the "liberation" in 1878. Before that time Bulgaria was a Turkish province and the product of the looms was for domestic use, little or no regard being had for the requirements of modern taste. Since then, and especially during the last ten years, progress in the industry has been so marked that Bulgarian carpets in design, texture, finish and style have surpassed those of Turkish, Roumanian, Serbian or Grecian manufacture.

Human Peculiarity.

It is interesting to read in the Journal of Heredity: "The remarkable grasping power of a new-born infant is cited as the survival of a trait that possessed life-and-death importance in the treetops. Finally with reference to the much-talked-about upright position the author remarks succinctly that 'the human child sits up before it stands; the human stock sat up before it stood.'"

Card of Thanks.

The family of the late James J. Corr desire to extend their heartfelt thanks to neighbors and friends for the many acts of kindness done and for the sympathy extended in their recent bereavement; also to friends and organizations for the numerous beautiful floral tributes which so fittingly expressed their sense of a general sorrow.

Mrs. James J. Corr of Utica,
Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Corr and
Family of Oneonta.

Given Farewell Party.

Harold Warfield of West Davenport was given a farewell reception last evening, he having enlisted in the United States army and soon goes to Fort Slocum. There were over 60 of his friends present. Before leaving they presented Mr. Warfield with a wrist watch and other tokens of remembrance.

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DELAWARE COUNTY NEWS

ON TO BERLIN.

Selective Men Leave County Seat for Camp Wadsworth.

Delhi, May 31.—Fifty-three men left Wednesday on the 11:30 a. m. train for Spartanburg, S. S. A special train left Norwich and ran through to their destination. They were due to arrive at camp at 6 p. m. May 30.

Irving Hutson Gone to Egypt.

Irving Hutson of this village, who was inducted into the United States service as a carpenter by the local board has gone with a party of 250 soldiers to Egypt.

Memorial Day Observed.

On Thursday, a parade was held in the forenoon to Woodland cemetery, where the graves of the veterans were decorated. After the exercises at the cemetery, the marchers went to the Methodist church, where a brief address was delivered by Rev. J. H. Robinson. In the afternoon, Rev. H. M. Dumbell, rendered an able oration.

Celebration at Bloomville.

Some 300 of Delhi people went to Bloomville last evening to attend the Red Cross celebration there. The Masonic lodge and Odd Fellows, with the Sheldon Rifles attended in a body. The music was furnished for the parade by the South Kortright Cornet band. In the parade, the members of the Red Cross, the Canton of Odd Fellows and Bloomville grangers are worth of especial mention.

Delhi Band No More.

The Delhi band has disbanded. So many of its number have enlisted and left town, that yesterday for the first time in many years, the music for Memorial day was furnished by a martial band consisting of the veteran rifers, Nelson Gray and Elbridge Mills; snare drummers, Willard Mason and William Capash; bass drummer, John D. Ferguson.

Epidemic at DeLacey.

An epidemic seems prevalent at DeLacey. It is nothing serious, and yields to treatment. Two Hamden and two Delhi physicians were attending patients there at the same time this week.

James Middlemast Has Accident.

James Middlemast of this place

met with an accident in his barn yesterday. A heavy iron fell, hitting him on the head and injuring him considerably. Dr. Woods was called and dressed the wound and he is improving.

Delhi Locals.

Dr. H. W. Tibbels, veterinarian, has moved his office to the shop of Fred J. Stevens, on Kingston street.—Lester Irvine, veterinarian, who has been in New York during the winter is here.—Mrs. John F. Vandercook, who has been spending the winter in New York with her sister, has returned to Delhi and opened up her summer home here.

HEARD IN HOBART.

Hobart, May 31.—Rev. J. G. Holdcroft will preach in the Presbyterian church Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock. Sunday school will be held at noon. There will be no evening service.—In St. Peter's church: Communion and sermon, 10:30 a. m.; church school, 11:45 a. m.; evensong and address, 7:30 p. m.—Word has been received that Mechanic Andrew E. Haynes and Private Hugh L. King have arrived safely "over there."—Mrs. C. J. Eckelkamp of Brooklyn has arrived at Montgomery homestead for the summer.—Mrs. S. W. Lyon of Oneonta spent Memorial day with her mother, Mrs. Barlow.—Miss Jones, who has been a guest of Miss Helmer and Mrs. Smith, has returned to her home in Syracuse.—Mr. and Mrs. Jack Craig and daughter, Helen, of Brooklyn, are guests at the New Hobart.—Miss Ora Chickering, who has been spending the past two weeks at her home in Howe Cave, has returned.—Fred Butler of Newark and Mr. and Mrs. Homer, Butler were guests Friday of Mr. and Mrs. David Gallup.—Mrs. Dell Simonson is a visitor in Avon.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nesbitt and Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Lyon motored to Newburg today and are spending a few days in that city.—Miss Claire Finegan, who has been attending business college in Poughkeepsie, has returned to her home here.—Miss Ida Clark was a visitor in Unadilla yesterday.—Mrs. S. W. Andrews of New York, who has a summer home at South Kortright, was a guest Wednesday afternoon of Mrs. E. A. Ackler.—Amasa J. Lawrence motored to Unadilla today.

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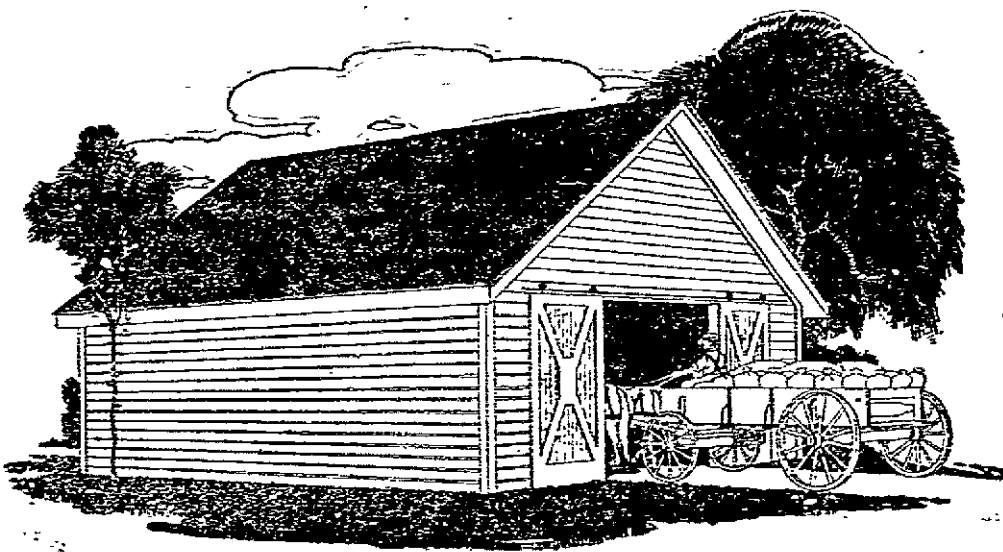
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LOCAL EDITORIAL NOTES.

Dosses of Court Calendar.

A notable fact in connection with the term of supreme court which convenes on Monday at Cooperstown, is the small number of cases noticed for trial. There are only 21 altogether, and of these a number are what might be called duplicate cases, where several actions are brought at the same time and governed by the same facts, so that one trial will decide them all.

This state of affairs is not entirely new, and it indicates what has quite generally been noted, that attorneys of today—certainly the best of them—are not so much engaged in trying cases as in keeping their clients out of court. More than ever before differences between individuals are being settled by compromise, and in the making of these compromises the attorneys are taking a leading part. There are doubtless as many differences as ever between individuals, and it is probable that the attorneys of the country have as many cases submitted to them as ever. That despite this fact the number of actions tried steadily diminishes indicates that attorneys instead of encouraging are discouraging litigation. And the fact that they are doing so is perhaps the highest tribute which could be paid to them as professional men and as individuals.

For Our Boys in France.

"I wish that our boys in France could have such a dinner as this" is the not-infrequent remark of someone just finishing a hearty meal. The sincerity of the wish can be decided by finding out just to what extent the utterer of it is helping in the work of food conservation. There is no doubt that the soldiers can have what they need if we limit ourselves in the use of certain desirable products. If we eat more potatoes and less meat, more barley and corn and rice and less wheat, and in every way endeavor to make our dietary conform to the requests of the food administration, there will be plenty for ourselves, and plenty for the boys over seas. If we do not ours is an empty wish.

At the Close of School.

Within a few weeks, at latest, all the schools of the country will be closed for the summer vacation. There will be need, of course, for something of rest and recreation for the pupils, but it may be suggested that in times like the present there are other duties of the summer save merely to rest and invite the soul. The caring for gardens at home, work upon farms, and Red Cross activities are some of the things which need doing. Many boys and girls of high school age are already enrolled, or will be, as farm cadets. For others who have not so enrolled, there is none the less work to do. Get some rest out of the summer, but do something also for your country and for our Allies. And do not think it is necessary to do nothing at all in order to rest. Rest, in many cases, can be had effectively by change of occupation.

Economy in Graduation.

Even before the world's war began, there was a growing belief that the expenses of graduation in schools and colleges, what with invitations, class pins, receptions and banquets and commencement gowns were becoming excessive. Acting on this belief there has been a large reduction in these expenses, even before the United States entered into a conflict which as nothing before is to try our resources. The war has emphasized this fact, and in general it is probable that graduation dresses will be more inexpensive this season, and that banquets will to a large extent be banished. This is as it should be. Reduction in these lines will take nothing essential away from the joys of commencement, but in a country which graduates perhaps half a million pupils every year, there will be substantial and worth-while savings, which will buy Liberty Loan bonds and Thrift stamps and will help lick the Kaiser.

War Chest and Chamber of Commerce.

The War Chest campaign, which lately under the auspices of the Chamber of Commerce was undertaken, was without exception the most notable of such enterprises ever carried on in Central New York. Also, it was the most successful. While at first there might have been doubts and misgivings on the part of some, the very first days of the campaign gave all needed assurance that the proposed minimum sum would at least be reached. Instead of stopping there, it has gone so much over as to assure a fund, which to the war's end will take care of the specific activities for which it is intended.

The members of the chamber, who undertook this work, were actuated by purely patriotic motives. They gave their labors without money or price, unselfishly and unthinkingly to the cause and without any thought of their personal benefit. The success which was won was well deserved. The War Chest, there should be no one to question their motives or their acts. Such criticism is unworthy of any citizen.

COMMENTS OF THE PRESS

It Carries a Story.

We do not hear a great deal nowadays about new battleships, but the naval appropriation bill, carrying a total of \$1,557,000,000, tells a story of its own.—[Buffalo Commercial.]

No Place for Socialism.

Chicago has closed her school house doors to Socialist meetings. School houses are places for nothing but Americanism.—[Buffalo Enquirer.]

Safety First.

Rule 41,144: When it is necessary for two persons to change seats in a canoe, run the canoe to the bank and let one of the occupants step out on dry land. That appears to be the rule of absolute safety.—[Rochester Herald.]

Bear It With Other Things.

Some persons are predicting that the coming summer will be as excessively hot as last winter was extremely cold. They may be wrong, but if they are right we'll bear that too along with other things we must endure.—[Albany Journal.]

The Voracious Food Expert.

After a food expert has demonstrated how a family of four can live on 80 cents a day, he generally is so hungry that he goes out and orders a steak costing \$1.25 or \$1.50 with trimmings.—[Syracuse Post-Standard.]

Not Worried.

We aren't specially disturbed over any threats of trouble in Mexico. That country would be helpless if shut off from supplies from this country and sister republics. That will surely be the case unless Mexico concludes that good behavior is the better part of wisdom.—[Utica Observer.]

Music in War Time.

Innumerable suggestions are made as to what people should do in war times. The national bureau for the advancement of music is out with one to the effect that in every American home five minutes should be devoted every day to a song service in honor of the soldiers in the camp and at the front. There are some families whose members are musical and could do this very acceptably if they could spare the time. There are a great many other families, however, where attempts at singing would not be well received by neighbors and where efforts in this direction would be anything but melodious or inspiring. Patriotic songs are to be encouraged at twilight or any other time, but they best be sung only by those who really can sing.—[Utica Press.]

How the Beater Beats.

No, it isn't a slow-fire machine gun in the backyard. It is Charles beating a rug. He receives 75 cents an hour, which is about 5 cents a beat for all beats he beats.—[Hudson New York Register.]

Prisoners on the Roads.

Out in Ohio they are working the prisoners on the roads and making a success of it. In fact pretty much every locality which does this intelligently is successful and thus public improvements are secured and public funds conserved. Just now the demands of the munition factories and the attractive wages they pay make it exceedingly difficult to get men to work on the roads and if they can be had it is at prohibitive prices. The male inmates of the jails and state prisons might better be working than not on their own account and might far better be earning their keep and lessening the taxes to that extent. The wonder is that every able-bodied prisoner in the country is not out busily building highways.—[Exchange.]

A Mother's Job.

One of the most effective posters of the Red Cross drive—that called so loudly to us all—was that which represented the Red Cross organization as a mother—"The Greatest Mother in the World." And it was simple truth. Almost every job that the Red Cross undertakes is a mother's job. Its manifold labors are done by women in the vast majority of cases. It is women, sewing the country over, who supply our hospitals with surgical dressings. It is women, our trained nurses, who perform a service without price in our hospitals. There is some essential and important work which men can do best. The bulk of the Red Cross duty is woman's by right and in fact.

Yet the War Council of the Red Cross, its highest executive body, has not a woman on it.—[Tribune.]

and will no doubt, if it is voiced, meet with general disfavor. The character of the men engaged in the work in behalf of the chamber is all the evidence needed that it has been and will be fairly carried out.

War Chest Will Not Close.

Responding to various queries, it may be stated that in the full sense of the term the War Chest campaign will not close until there is no more need of the chest. Naturally there will be some removals from the chest from time to time, and these subscriptions must be made up to keep the chest full. There will be others coming to the city who will desire to have part in the War Chest work. To them the opportunity will be extended. There will be some, who despite the most careful canvassing will be overlooked by those having the work in charge. These will always have opportunity to do their share for the War Chest. And there may be others who after thinking the matter over will desire to subscribe even if they personal benefit. The success which has been won will still remain. The War Chest, there should be no one to question their motives or their acts. Such criticism is unworthy of any citizen.

SUPREME COURT NEXT WEEK

Small Calendar for Term Opening at Cooperstown Monday With Justice Killey Presiding.

At Cooperstown on Monday next will open the June trial term and special term of the supreme court with Justice M. H. Killey presiding, with both a grand and trial jury in attendance. There are a number of cases to be presented to the first named jury. There are but 31 cases on the regular calendar, and many of these are cases of little public interest. In fact the term promises to be one of short duration, with few hotly contested cases. There are only 21 jury cases so called, the other 10 being for trial by the court.

While there are three cases noted for trial against the D. & H., all are brought by the same plaintiff, and a determination in one decides them all. Frank L. Colgrove as administrator of the estates of Charles E. Colgrove, Mable L. Colgrove and Mary Colgrove is the plaintiff. The causes of action arise from the accident at the Glen Bridge crossing in which the three persons named were killed. These are the only actions in which a railroad company is defendant. There is but one action in which the state is the plaintiff, and brought to recover a penalty for violation of the agricultural law. Howard Butler is the plaintiff. There are three actions for separation as follows: Jennie J. Moon against Melvin C. Moon of Oneonta, Melville J. Southard against Irene C. Southard of Cooperstown, and George S. Chapman against Ella May Chapman, also of Cooperstown. There are two actions for divorce, Eva L. Darby against Leslie E. Darby, and Grace E. Shellman against Earl E. Shellman. The other cases noticed are mostly to recover on contract or on note and to recover against individuals for alleged negligence.

COUNTRY CLUB OPENING.

Large Attendance at Formal Beginning of Season on Thursday.

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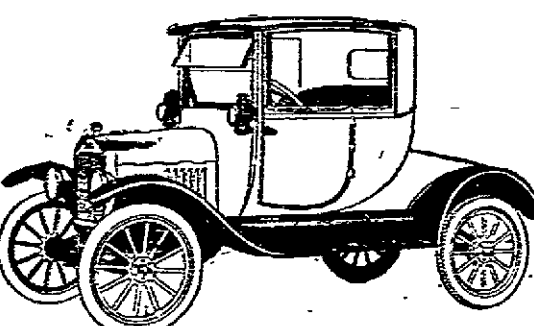
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Ford THE UNIVERSAL CAR

The Ford Coupe, have you examined it? It is a splendid enclosed motor car for two—will take three nicely—for \$560 f. o. b. Detroit. The Ford Coupe is in a class by itself by reason of its high value and low purchase price. Permanent top with sliding plate glass windows with removable window pillars; large, deeply upholstered seat with comfortable high back; ventilating windshield and large doors. The body is trim and handsome in design. There are all the joys of the open car in pleasant weather and a very warm, cozy car in wintry and inclement weather. Let us show you the Ford Coupe.

ONEONTA SALES CO.

Market Street Oneonta, N. Y.



I Wish to Announce

That I have taken over the agency for the V. H. C. Burner for Otsego county.

This burner can be installed in any cook stove or range without altering your stove. It burns kerosene, crude or fuel oil without the slightest odor.

An ideal article for a camp house as well as for the most up-to-date city dwelling. No dirt nor lugging of coal and a great money saver.

Completely Installed \$15 F. J. Arnoys, Jeweler

Call at the demonstrating rooms at 117 Main St. and Mr. F. E. Rath, General Sales Agent, will gladly show you the convenience of this wonderful invention.

DECORATION DAY

Today America has been called to the defense of those same principles and liberties for which we are honoring our heroes this Memorial Day.

We have read of the glorious traditions of America, of the patriotism and valor of its sons—today we see them.

Stern duties are before us now. We are engaged in the world's mightiest conflict—the struggle of might and right. Whether right triumphs depends on every one of us.

Are you doing your part?

Carr Clothing Co., Inc.

Successors to Carr & Bull

"The Kuppenheimer House in Oneonta"



Smart Pumps

Bright looking Pumps in the newest of designs in Tan, Black and White.

A more extensive array of smart and dainty Pumps such as you may see here would be hard to find.

We have all the favorites in these favored styles of summer footwear and by prudent buying we are able to offer the finest of footwear at very reasonable prices.

THE HOUSE OF GOOD SHOES

Gardner & Stevens, Inc.

Clothes Buyers Today Look For Value, Not For Price

THE first question used to be, "How much?" Now it's, "How good?" We answer that to everybody's satisfaction with Adler Collegian Clothes. You ought to wear them, too.

Smart styles for every man of 17 to 70.
Prices just those that you like to pay.

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The Home of Good Clothes Next to Trolley Station

The Housekeeping Problem Is Easily Solved A Modern Gas Range

Will Reduce Kitchen Cares to a Minimum and Save Hours of Needless Labor Every Day. See the Splendid Line of Ranges on Display at Our Office.

Get Your Order in Now

ONEONTA LIGHT & POWER CO.

BEGIN NOW to SPRAY

Use Pyrox the safest and best

Does the work and does not spot the foliage, good on anything.

We have it in 1, 5, 10, 25, 50 and 100 pound packages.

We also have Arsenate of Lead in liquid form or dry.

W. L. Brown Hardware Co., Inc.

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New Summer Footwear
in Pumps, Oxfords
and Boots.

SHOES

175 Main St. Terms Cash

Sporting Goods

Tennis Rackets, \$1.35,
\$2.25, \$2.50 and \$5.00 each.
Tennis Balls 40 and 50
cents each.

Croquet Sets \$2.00, \$2.25,
\$2.50 and \$4.00 a set.

Also a good line of Golf
Balls and Golf Sticks.

TOWNSEND
HARDWARE COMPANYThe Specialty Shop
OFFERS

Ladies' Suits
Values to \$30.00, Special at \$15.00
Values to \$27.50, Special at \$20.00
Values to \$35.00, Special at \$25.00

Graduation Dresses
in Voiles, Organdies, Georgette
Crepe, Crepe de Chine and Mar-
quisette.

Class Day Dresses
in beautiful Voiles and Silks.

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174 Main Street Oneonta, N. Y.

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Shur-ons
if you
need glasses

Do You Squint?
You would not if your
vision was perfect.

Squinting is a sure sign
of eyestrain which can
be corrected by De-
LONG glasses.

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EYESIGHT SPECIALIST
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HOURS 9 TO 5 PHONE 367-W

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National Bank

George I. Wilber President
Albert B. Tobey Vice-President
Samuel H. Potter Cashier
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Safety First
Make Your Dollar Holler

"THE HEN THAT LAYS"
IS "THE HEN THAT PAYS"

Join Our Thrift Club Now

We can do our part by cutting out all
waste and saving a part of our income
to loan our Government.
Save to purchase U. S. Liberty Bonds
or deposit your savings in a bank so
the bank can buy the bonds for you.
ONE DOLLAR OR MORE WILD
START AN ACCOUNT IN OUR
THRIFT, VACATION, EMERGENCY
OR CHRISTMAS CLUB.

TEMPERATURE YESTERDAY

8 a. m. - - - - - 53
2 p. m. - - - - - 80
8 p. m. - - - - - 74
Maximum 81 - Minimum 54
Thursday's Record:
8 a. m. - - - - - 53
2 p. m. - - - - - 73
8 p. m. - - - - - 79
Maximum 80 - Minimum 58
Rainfall .15

LOCAL MENTION.

A. F. Germond has removed his
piano stock from the Oneonta Depart-
ment store to 369 Main street.

Claude Smith has returned to his
duties at the store of Arthur M. Butts
after several weeks' absence caused
by a troublesome ankle, from which
he has nearly recovered.

The Home Guards of the Meth-
odist Episcopal church will picnic at
Neah-wa park this afternoon from
2 until 5 o'clock. All members and
their friends are urged to come.

One of the finest and most ad-
vanced gardens in the city is that of
Engineer H. S. Morse at 50 Burnside
avenue. It is in fine condition in
large part, and unless a frost occurs
within the next few days, he certainly
will have some garden.

The open Saturday afternoons,
which in former seasons were so
pleasant a feature of Country Club
life in Oneonta, will be resumed to-
day. Ladies will be present to serve
tea and it is hoped that the club
membership will do everything possi-
ble to make the occasion delightful.

Dr. David H. Mills a day or two
since discovered two automobiles
which looked good to him and pur-
chased both in a single day. One was
an eight-cylinder Cadillac purchased
of J. A. Dewar, the local agent. The
other was the Ford coupe which Dr.
Cutler had equipped with all acces-
sories, which will prove very conve-
nient for use about the city, while the
larger car will be kept for the longer
trips, where the Cadillac is unex-
celled within its price range.

LAST CHANCE TO ENLIST.

After Tonight Men Turned 21 Since
June 5 Cannot Join Regulars.

Men aged 21 since last June 5 will
have until tonight to join the regular
army, according to a special notice
received by the local recruiting station
yesterday from Major C. T. Greene in
command of recruiting for the Pough-
keepsie district. The message stated
that the men will be accepted at Fort
Slocum until 6 o'clock on the night
of next Monday, and that only 100
applicants will be accepted daily.

In forwarding the notice, the Major
points out that young men should
take advantage of the opportunity
immediately, otherwise they may be
disappointed.

Meetings Today.

All officers and managers of the La-
dies' Aid society of the Methodist Epis-
copal church and officers of the Home
Missionary society are requested to
meet in the church parlors this even-
ing at 7:30.

Regular monthly meeting of One-
onta Typographical union, No. 135,
this evening at 7 o'clock, in Trade and
Labor hall.

The Primary Sunday school depart-
ment of the First Presbyterian church,
will meet in the Sunday school room,
at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon for re-
hearsal.

The children of the First Universa-
list Sunday school are requested to
meet at 4 p. m. today at the church
for rehearsal for Children's day.

All ladies of the United Presbyterian
church are invited to meet at the
church parlors this afternoon for a
social afternoon. Refreshments and
entertainment will be provided. Bring
a silver offering for the benefit of the
Ladies' Aid society.

Meeting Sunday.

Regular meeting of Chapman di-
vision, No. 45, O. R. C., Sunday even-
ing at 7 o'clock. Secretary.

Meeting Postponed.

There will be no meeting of the
Girl scouts today. Everyone help sell
vanilla extracts today.

ONEONTA'S MOVIE STARS.

To Be Announced at the Strand
Today.

The winners in the contest who
will take part in the picture, "A Call
to the Colors," which will be made in
Oneonta next week, beginning Mon-
day, will be announced on the screen
at the Strand today. adv 11

Charles E. Kane, successor to
Charles H. and E. J. Kane, formerly
of Cooperstown, will open a bicycle re-
pair shop at 27 South Main street.
Oneonta, Monday, June 3. adv 16t

The Hat Shop—We are ready with a
line of exclusive models from which to
choose at moderate prices. Miss Hil-
ton, 10 Washington street. Phone
149-W-2. adv 3t

City Messenger and quick delivery
service, after being closed for two
weeks, is again open for business. E.
A. Reilly. Phone 62. adv 3t

Poultry wanted—June 4.5. Fowls,
35c; chickens, 35c; ducks 15c. J. H.
Potter, 71 Maple street. adv 2t

Wanted—Woman cook at the Twen-
tieth Century Lunch room. Phone
531-W. adv 2t

Special Sale—All hats at cut prices
for Saturday. Miss A. Caswell, 21
Broad street. adv 1t

Wanted—1917 Ford touring car.
Phone 933-J. adv 2t

Cashier wanted at Pioneer lunch.
adv 3t

375 Wright's delivery. adv 2t

CITY'S DAY OF MEMORY

INSPIRING ADDRESS GIVEN BY
COL. WALTER SCOTT.

Both Bands, Company G and Civic
Organizations Are Guard of Honor
to Veterans of Former Post—Many
Flags Proclaim Patriotic Devotion
—About Forty Veterans of Civil War
in Parade—Col. Scott Denounces
Hun Intrigue

From early Thursday morning the
business places of Oneonta and many
residences, particularly along the line
of march, hung to the breeze the flag
of our country in honor of the soldiers
of all American wars, including the
present, and particularly in commemora-
tion of the day of dedication. The
early season had provided abundance
of flowers, and in contrast to the
sparse decorations of a year ago, there
were blossoms in abundance every-
where. Besides the graves of soldiers,
those of many others in all local cemeteries
were visited by families or
friends who laid upon the rounded
turf flowers for remembrance. This
was true also of many organizations,
and it is probable that never has there
been more general decoration.

The formal exercises began at 12
m., when the church bells began toll-
ing and continued for five minutes.
During this time the request that citi-
zens remain standing with uncovered
heads was quite generally observed.
The parade, which formed at 1:30 p.
m. on Main street, with right resting
on Chestnut, moved over Main street
which was thronged with citizens, to
the entrance to the Riverside ceme-
tery, and thence to the Oneonta war
monument, where the Grand Army ex-
ercises took place. The line was led
by Capt. U. A. Ferguson as marshal,
followed by a squad of police, the
mayor and common council and the
City band. Company G, in fine form
and alignment and splendidly uni-
formed, turned out with 61 men under
command of Captain Jackson, and was
followed by the Spanish War veterans,
Company G band, the veteran fire-
men, with whom we noted the absence
of one venerable figure, that of the
late Harrison Collins, who for years
had been a prominent figure in all
parades of the association; Canton
David Wilber, the Boy and Girl scouts,
Centennial lodge, Order of Moose, and
the firemen and at the close of the line
autos in which were seated the mem-
bers of the Grand Army, 27 in number,
and the members of the W. R. C. At
the cemetery the parade was met by
the children of the Normal and public
schools, by whom as is customary the
monument was decorated.

Following the exercises at the
cemetery, an enthusiastic meeting in
honor of the veterans of the sixties
and the Boys of '98 was held at the
Municipal hall, where Col. Walter
Scott with great fervor called upon
the people of the nation to stand be-
hind the boys 'over there' and sacri-
fice their all to put an end to German
militarism. He characterized the
American people as asleep to the crisis
through which we are passing; as
asleep to German intrigue that is
rampant all over the country. He
stirred the 200 people in the audience
to great applause on various occa-
sions, especially when he shouted: "I
do not want to say Germany, I mean
the Huns. Germany is too good a
name." When I speak of Germany I
want to call them the dirty, con-
temptible Huns."

So enthused was the Colonel that
after his address, when he found no
one in the gathering who could lead
in singing "Marching Through
Georgia," a tune, he said, that would
"take the veterans back to the days
they spent down under the pines," he
got up himself, and, waving his arms
in time to the music, made those 200
voices raise the roof.

Declaring that "we have come to-
gether once more on Memorial day to
do honor to the heroes who are dead,
to do honor to the heroes who are
living, to do honor to the heroes over
on the other side who have passed
away, and to do honor to the brave
boys who are fighting 'over there' for
you and me, to preserve our honor
and to hand it down to our children,"
the Colonel launched into laudatory
praises of the men who made the na-
tion and the men who in the black

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EXTRAORDINARY BILL

Eleven Reel All Star Feature Offer-
ings at Theatre Oneonta Today.

Motion picture critics throughout
the west unite in saying that the
work of Douglas Fairbanks and
Bessie Love in their five reel western
drama, "A Good Bad Man," at the
Theatre Oneonta today, is the one
bright spot in their career. Mere-
dith Nicholson is responsible for the
Collier's Weekly story, "The Hopper,"
the other five reel all star Triangle
offering on today's bill. To chase
away gloom, "A Safe Disaster," has
been added. Matinee 2:30, 10c.
Evening 7 and 9 p. m., 15c. Monday
—Special return engagement of
"Within the Law." Tuesday—Charles
Chaplin in his new three reel million
dollar comedy, "A Dog's Life." adv 1t

Take Notice.

A clinic for infantile paralysis
cases will be held Tuesday, June 4,
at the Fox Memorial hospital, at 9 a. m.
D. Hubbard, a specialist on infantile
paralysis, from the state department,
will be present. All children of One-
onta and vicinity who have had this
disease should attend. adv 3t

City Messenger and quick delivery
service, after being closed for two
weeks, is again open for business. E.
A. Reilly. Phone 62. adv 3t

Ira S. Sweet, practical bonesetter,
at the Windsor, Oneonta, June 1;
Eagle, Norwich, June 4. adv 2t

Wanted—A dining room girl to
work nights at the Dairy lunch
room. adv 2t

ARRIVED SAFELY OVERSEAS

MEN OF COMPANY G, 10TH REG-
IMENT, REACH FRANCE.

Former Members of Company G, First
New York Regiment, from Oneonta,
Long in Training at Camp Wads-
worth, at Spartanburg, S. C., Safely
Over.

Numerous cards received by rela-
tives and friends in this city an-
nounce the safe arrival over seas of
men who were former members of
Company G, First New York reg-
iment, who were, after arriving at
Camp Wadsworth at Spartanburg, S.
C., transferred to Company G, 10th
regiment, National Army. These men
left this city in August last and have
since been in training. They left Camp
Wadsworth about four weeks ago for
a point of embarkation. Although it
was generally understood that they
were soon to sail, no definite informa-
tion as to the exact time of sailing
could be published. They doubtless
sailed about ten days ago and intelli-
gence that they arrived safely is re-
ceived with much satisfaction here.

While it cannot be definitely stated
that cards have been received an-
nouncing the arrival of all at France,
when last known the following men
from Oneonta's original company G
were members of the 10th, and it is
assumed that they were all with the
contingent arriving:

First Lieutenant—Royal C. John-
son, Oneonta.

Sergeants—Elbert N. Patten, One-
onta; John H. Napper, Oneonta; John
W. Stiles, Middlefield.

Corporals—Harry D. Whitmarsh,
Oneonta; Earl J. Tihoy, Franklin;
James P. Francis, Cooperstown;
Frank C. VanHousen, Oneonta; Elmer
J. Ellsworth, Schuylers Lake;
George L. Burdick, Bloomville; James
J. Boyland, Oneonta; Grandison F.
Warren, Stamford.

Mechanics—Andrew E. Haynes, Ho-
bart.

Cooks—Edward A. Francis, Coop-
erstown; Clyde L. Hayne, Cooper-
stown; Henry D. House, Cooperstown;
Everett S. Westcott, Oneonta.

Privates, first class—Roy E. Bell,
Hollidaysburg, Pa.; Peter Braggaglia,
Frosinone, Italy; Benjamin W. Carr,
Wells Bridge; Guy E. Fisher, One-
onta; Fred H. Hall, Milford; Clarence
J. Otto, Oneonta; Leon E. Odell,
Maryland; Ditcher J. Parsball, One-
onta; Louis H. Frankewich, Genesee;
Leo A. Leach, Tully; Clifford G. Mc-
Leese, Oneonta; Peter C. Vitrell,
Maryland; Samuel J. Shuttles, Port-
landville; Clifford L. Rorick, Oneonta;
Frederick L. Reynolds, Cooperstown;
Asa G. Strong, Milford.

Privates—Harold E. Barick, Mil-
ford; Albert L. Seiber, Cooperstown;
Fred E. Pierce, Springfield Center;
Percy Hotchkiss, Hobart; Merton L.
Murphy, Treadwell; James E. Strain,
New Berlin; James F. Hayne, Coop-
erstown; Liddell D. Woodcock, Port-
landville; Arthur Costello, Oneonta;
John Ross, West Davenport; Harry
Hawley, Downsview; James D. John-
son, Cooperstown; Albert C. Westfall,
Oneonta; Charles E. Geer, Oneonta;
Emery J. Edwards, Susquehanna;
Bert Pace, Hobart; Leon E. Eckler,
Schenevus; Cecil A. Champlin, Coop-
erstown; Devillo A. Carr, Oneonta;
Levi H. Olmstead, Oneonta; George
L. Hanyon, South Gibson, Pa.; Jacob
Froelich, Freemont Center; Harold B.
Bell, Hollidaysburg, Va.; Bert G. Mar-
tin, Cooperstown; Earl R. Gardner,
Oneonta; Clinton Stoutenburg, R. D.
2, Stamford; Robert R. Hunter, Pe-
pacton; George T. Record, Warner-
ville; Albin E. Johnson, Cooperstown;
Leroy Bowers, Howe Cave; Charles L.
Saxton, Oneonta; Willis G. Lovelass,
Peapack; Joseph Ryan, Billings,
Montana; Karl Schermerhorn, Sidney
Center; Henry Reed, Cooperstown;
Joseph Stapleton, Oneonta.

Machine Gun Company.

Privates—Dewey Clark, Oneonta;
Charles T. Finigan, Hobart; George
N. Moore, Gilbertsville.

Supply Company.

Privates—Claude H. Shoffom,
Sidney; Harry Martin, Cooperstown;
Lewis Ross, Fly Creek; Berton La-
throp, Hartwick; Charles Simond, Gil-
bertsville.

Headquarters Company

Privates—Harry A. Walker, One-
onta; George L. Deakin, Cooperstown.

It Happened in Oneonta.

A young man recently came to a
jewelry store in Oneonta and wanted
to trade a Thrift War Stamp, which
was earning four per cent interest,
compounded four times each year,
for jewelry. It had been given to
him as a present, and when he found
that it was not easily available, he was
angry, and in disgust, said, "Well,
this is a D—l of a present; I can't
use it." He did not think or care
that it was earning money for him
while he slept, and without hard toil,
and that it was helping him propor-
tionately, as some 2,000 Oneonta
people were being helped to accumu-
late several million dollars, for
homes and farms, old age, sickness
or loss of a job, by placing similar
small amounts with the safe six per-
cent compounded interest system of
the safe Oneonta Building and Loan
Association, and that because people
do not think, 89 out of every 100 of
them while, complain and are down
and out in old age. For God's sake,
why don't people think. Pass the
hat. adv 1t

Notice.

Arthur Van Alstine, my son, is only
17 years of age and I hereby forbid
any person or dealer selling him or
letting him drive their automobile, as
I will pay no bills contracted by him
for loss or damage. Claude J. VanAl-
stine. Dated, May 31, 1918. adv 1t

A few high grade pianos to be sold
at cost for cash, to close out stock. A.
F. Germond, 269 Main street, Oneon-
ta, N. Y. adv 2t

Wanted room and board in private
family for convalescent. Phone
163-JV. adv 2t

Carpet and Rug Situation Serious

On Tuesday we journeyed to Syracuse to inspect the summer and fall showings of
the justly celebrated Whitall rugs. This manufacturer of Worcester, Mass., makes
body Brussels and Wiltons exclusively and his goods are the highest grades—possibly
higher than any other producer in the country. The line now show was only about
one-half as extensive as usual, owing to the necessary curtailment production. We se-
cured some beautiful rugs of the new designs as well as of the more popular of the
older patterns. It seemed as though the reduction in numbers had worked to make a
more beautiful display. Prices were slightly higher and all indications pointed to a fur-
ther advance on each monthly price list, continuing the gradual advance for several
months past and emphasizing the fact that the stock of rugs and carpets on our sales-
room floor has been accumulated at very advantageous prices.

The government now controls the stock of wool as is well known. The mills of
the country devoting from 50 to 70 per cent of the looms, formerly at work on carpets
to other purposes, i. e., the manufacture of blankets, yarn, etc. Prices of rugs are not
high now, in fact are much lower than other fabrics made from wool. One should
consider the danger of delaying the purchase of needed floor coverings.

In this connection we ought to say we are showing a large shipment of the very
popular grass and fiber rugs just received. They are just the correct thing for the
porch and summer use everywhere and for many rooms all the year.

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W. W. CAPRON, Pres. and Treas.

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mond rings of good
quality only.

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from. Whether you
select a small, medi-
um or large stone, you
get a diamond of fine
color and quality, per-
fectly cut—a brilliant
sparkling ring you
will always be proud
of, and which will in-
crease in value as the
years go by.

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solid gold or plat-
inum.

We guarantee the
color, quality, weight
and cutting of the
diamond.

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season for bedding out, filling porch
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Vanilla and Maple
Walnut Ice Cream.

Boston Candy Kitchen
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House or Apartment?

In these war-times you must conserve and wisely use all of
your resources. If you have a spare room in your home, rent
it to a desirable tenant—and make the income from it count
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A trifling expenditure for classified advertising will solve the
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Weeders, and Cultivators. Only a limited stock, don't delay.
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Store open evenings 7:30 to 9 Store closed on Decoration Day

Every Skirt Bearing the Above Label
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vious to their manufacture, so as to make them Shrink-Proof.

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The styles embrace a large variety of different type pockets, attractively trimmed with
pearl buttons.

The greater majority are with shirred backs; while this effect is carried out in the fronts
of many. Various width belts are used in pleasing manner.

Prices of entire line \$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$5.75, \$6.00, \$6.50, \$7.50, \$8.00, \$9.00 and
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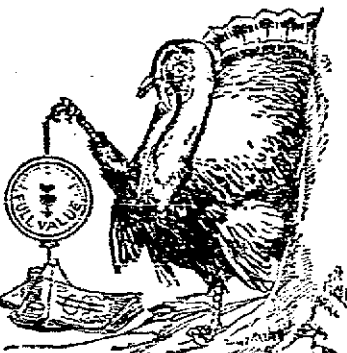
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Nice Table Apples
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Choice Western Beef, all cuts
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Choice Sweet Milk Veal
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PERSONALS.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Wilbur of Schenectady were in Oneonta Friday. Mrs. Albert Lough and Mrs. Albert Thompson spent Friday in Albany.

Mrs. Harry Olmstead of this city was in Albany for the day yesterday.

Mrs. Clarence E. Holmes and daughter, Alice, were in Worcester on Thursday.

Mrs. William Crandall is spending the week-end with relatives and friends in Suley.

Lynn Dreese returned home Thursday after a few days' business trip to New York city.

Mrs. H. C. Polhemus of Syracuse is a guest of her friend, Mrs. Lula Root, Main Street.

Mrs. Clara Covenhoven and Mrs. Bertha Shuttles spent Decoration day in Cooperstown.

Mrs. Viola McDonald of this city is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Ophelia Campbell, in Milford.

Mr. and Mrs. William Baker and Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Baker were in Worcester on Decoration day.

Mrs. Lillian Smith and daughter, Irene, were in Worcester on Decoration day, returning home yesterday.

Miss Marion Hill, who had been spending a few days at the home in Oneonta, returned yesterday to Binghamton.

Mrs. Viola D. Newton spent Thursday at Hartwick Seminary and with her sister, Mrs. C. J. Armstrong, in Milford.

Mrs. Charles Smith, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Simpson, left Thursday for a few days' sojourn in New York city.

Mrs. E. London of 12 Columbia street and Mrs. E. Grant of 275 Chestnut street were in Wells Bridge Friday for the day.

Miss Beulah Dixon of Wells Bridge returned home yesterday, after spending a few days with Mrs. R. C. Grigg, 214 Chestnut street.

J. Kenneth Rogers, who lately enlisted in the Quartermaster's corps of the National Army, departed yesterday for Fort Slocum.

Mrs. James C. Russell left Thursday for Horseheads, where she will spend a few days on the homestead with her son and sister.

J. E. Todd of Unadilla, who had been the guest for a few days of his brother, Andrew N. Todd of this city, returned home yesterday.

Mrs. C. D. Youngman and Mrs. D. W. Every of this city attended a sewing circle at M. H. Riddell's, Cooperstown Junction, on Friday.

Mrs. L. W. Johnson and son, Allen, of this city, are spending two weeks with relatives and friends in Mechanicville and Schenectady.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. VanDyke leave this morning for Cooperstown, where they will be the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wilbur.

Mrs. Jack Lennon of Summit, who had been spending several days with her sister, Mrs. Giles Bennett, 9 Spring street, returned home yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Oles, who had been visiting their daughter, Mrs. Earl Terry of 10 Pearl street, returned yesterday to their home in Walton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Davis and daughter, Dorothy, of 112 Walling avenue, are spending a few days with the former's parents at Saratoga Springs.

Mrs. Lester Merritt and children of Carbondale, Pa., and Mrs. F. J. Beauregard of Binghamton are visiting friends in Oneonta and Cooperstown.

Lee Whitbeck, who had been spending a brief furlough in Oneonta, left yesterday for Fort Grebel, Long Island, where he is a member of the coast artillery.

Mrs. J. W. Smith and Mrs. J. Wentworth and son of Cherry Valley were guests of the former's sister, Mrs. George Brownell, 3 Birch street, over Decoration day.

Milton Lavyer, a member of the Oneonta Normal class of 1917, arrived in Oneonta yesterday for a day's sojourn. Mr. Lavyer is a member of the government aviation school at Itasca.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wells of 492 Main street left yesterday on a ten days' trip to Newport, R. I., and to Manhattan, L. I. At the latter place they will be guests of their daughter, Mrs. Clarence H. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lovell, Miss Katherine Boorn and Miss Clara Hubbard of Schenectady, Mrs. George Harper and Miss Sallie Harper of Cohoes were Decoration day guests of Mrs. Celia Seaver, 81 Maple street.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Lauren motored to Elmira Thursday to meet their daughter, Miss Mary Lauren, who was on her way home from the National Park school near Washington, D. C., to spend the summer vacation.

Clarence E. Roth, lately of the New York guard stationed on the Croton aqueduct, left yesterday for Fort Slocum. Mr. Roth, who has enlisted in the tank service, was accompanied as far as Albany by his mother, Mrs. J. R. Peters.

Mrs. Nelson St. Vincent Spencer, widow of the late Nelson St. Vincent Spencer of Toronto, Canada, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Charles Grinker, who is also a native of Toronto, Canada, left on Thursday for her home.

John D. Capron, who enlisted last winter in Chicago, Ill., and who for several weeks had been in Oneonta waiting his summons to camp, left last evening for Itasca, where he will receive instructions in the work of the aviation corps.

F. G. Bennett of this city was in Schenectady on Thursday for the purpose of joining with his old comrades of Brown post in the formal observance of Decoration day. Once one of the largest posts of the country, its membership in the immediate vicinity of Schenectady is now reduced to four.

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DEATH.

Miss Addie Simmons.

Miss Addie Simmons, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Simmons, formerly of this city, died on Tuesday, after two years' illness at the family home in Gloversville. Since an operation which she underwent in March, 1917, her condition had been very serious. Her sufferings had been great, and there is no doubt that to her death was a welcome relief from pain. The funeral was held at Gloversville on Thursday. The service was conducted by Rev. F. L. Decker of the Gloversville Methodist Episcopal church, of which she was a faithful member; and the body was taken to Richmondville for interment. Many friends from that village and from Cobleskill and Worcester were present at the committal service.

Miss Simmons, who was 29 years of age, is survived by her parents and by two brothers, Floyd and Irving Simmons, both of this city. She was a resident of Oneonta for seven years and had many friends here, whose sympathy will be extended to the family.

Sutherland-Fisher.

Miss Beulah May Fisher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Fisher of Meredith, and Edward Gibson Sutherland, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Sutherland, also of Meredith, were married at the parsonage of the Methodist Episcopal church by the Rev. B. J. Johns, yesterday in the presence of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Sutherland.

The bride is a graduate of the Oneonta State Normal school, class of 1915, and has been a teacher for the past three years at Susquehanna, Pa. The groom is a farmer residing at Meredith. Both young people are well known in their home town and highly thought of.

After an automobile trip through the Catskills and the Adirondacks, the young couple will be at their home, Meredith, after June 15.

Howard R. Judd Married.

Announcement has been received of the marriage of Miss Florence Alma Finch of Westbury, L. I., and Howard R. Judd, of this city, who is now with the 61st Aero squadron, stationed at the aviation field at Garden city, Long Island. The groom, who is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Judd of North Franklin, was formerly an employee of the Oneonta Department store. He has many friends here who will extend congratulations.

Funeral Announcement.

The funeral of Mrs. Charles S. Firman, notice of whose death appeared in Thursday's Star, will be held at her late home, 49 Spruce street, this afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. Dr. Charles S. Pendleton officiating. Interment at Glenwood cemetery.

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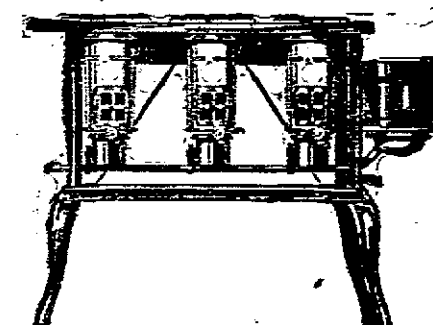


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FUNERAL OF JAMES J. CORR.

Held Friday at St. Patrick's Church.
 Ulica—Interment in Oneonta.

Funeral services for the late James J. Corr, whose death was noted in The Star of Wednesday, were held at St. Patrick's church, Ulica. The service was a solemn requiem high mass, Rev. Father J. J. Carson, an uncle of the deceased, being the celebrant, assisted by Fathers Penick and Laurens. Following the service the body was brought by trolley to Oneonta, arriving at 4 p. m., accompanied, besides those who attended the service from this city, by Mrs. Corr, William Weckel, a brother of Mrs. Corr, and Mrs. Theresa Haver, her mother. Interment was in the family plot in Calvary cemetery. The bearers in this city were Robert Whalen and Walter Brosmer of Schenectady, George Busted, George Cronin, Charles Buck and James Kerwin of Oneonta.

There were many beautiful floral tributes which testified to the depth of the popular sympathy and esteem. Among others were pieces from the B. of L. E., the B. of R. T. and the yard employees of Ulica, the Loyal Order of Moose of Oneonta, and a magnificent floral cross, the tribute of neighbors and friends in the immediate neighborhood of the home of his parents in this city.

Among those from Oneonta who attended the service in Ulica were Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Corr and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Buck, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Busted and son George, Mrs. G. B. Cronin and son George, Charles Buck Jr., Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Dupuis, Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Carson and Julius M. H. and Mrs. N. M. Fitzgerald of Albany were also present.

\$56.10 BASEBALL MONEY TO R. C.

Local Organization Appreciative of Gift and Also of Donation of \$25.

The receipts of the baseball game played at Neah-wa park on Memorial day, for the benefit of the Red Cross, between the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen and the United Commercial Travelers, added \$56.10 to the treasury of the mercy organization. In announcing this fact yesterday, the Red Cross expressed high gratitude for the gift.

Miss Alice Ford yesterday donated \$25 to the organization. This money represents the sale of paper work bags made by Miss Ford and sold to Red Cross workers. Appreciation was also expressed of this gift.

Donations have been received from Mr. Murphy, \$2; Miss Bernice Sheldon, 75 cents; and Mrs. Smithers, 10 cents.

The work rooms will be closed today and every following Saturday during the summer months.

SOLDIERS WERE IN EARNEST.

Secretary Davis Accompanied Them as Far as Philadelphia.

Secretary Davis of the Y. M. C. A., has returned from Philadelphia, Pa., as far as which city he accompanied the recent contingent of the National army leaving the city on Wednesday for Spartanburg, S. C. He reports the men as in fine spirits and yet the most serious minded delegation that he has yet accompanied on their way to the camp for training. While they were congenial and enjoyed the trip they were according to Mr. Davis, aware that they were entering upon a serious task and he was impressed that they were leaving with teeth set and firm in the conviction that there is a duty and faithfully will it be performed. He left them about 2 a. m. Thursday morning and most of them were sleeping when he left the train.

BALL GAME AT NE-AH-WA PARK.

For the Benefit of the Red Cross at Oneonta—B. R. T. vs. U. C. T.

The managements of both teams as well as the players wish to thank the public for their patronage and loyal support for so valuable a cause. We also wish to thank Manager Damaschke of the Oneonta ball team, who turned over all that was taken in at the first game after the expenses were paid to the Y. M. C. A.

For the information of all concerned, after the expenses for balls, advertising and printing tickets were paid, there was turned over to the Red Cross \$58.10.

B. W. Brown, U. C. T. team.
 E. Merritt, B. R. T. team.
 A. W. Morse, B. R. T. team.

O'Neil's Condition Critical.

The condition of William O'Neil, who early Wednesday morning, doubtless from the effects of a dream in which he thought a wreck was impending, jumped from a window at the home of his sister, Mrs. Frank D. Munson, on Huntington avenue, fracturing his spine, was reported very serious yesterday from the Fox Memorial hospital. He may survive for a few days, but the case is very critical.

The two men, Godfrey and Coates, who are suffering from fractured skulls received about a week ago, are both making good improvement. The chances for both now are for recovery.

Attention, Commercial Travelers.

All members of Oneonta Commercial Travelers, U. C. T., are earnestly requested to meet at Neah-wa park, this Saturday afternoon, at 1 o'clock, sharp for baseball and quick pitching practice. All members should be present as final teams to participate in the contest at the coming state convention field day will be selected at this time.

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PERSONALS

Attorney Henry B. Sewell of Sidney was in the city on business errands yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Monaghan of Brooklyn were Memorial day visitors with friends in the city.

Miss Mary Hawley of Malone, who is teaching at Schenectady, has been spending a short vacation with Rev. Dr. and Mrs. E. J. Farley.

Fire Chief Charles Choate and family have been spending a few days with friends in Enghamton, where he was formerly in the fire service for years.

Mrs. D. H. Woodward Jr., who had been away visiting friends in Hartford, Conn.; East Orange, N. J., and in New York city, arrived home last evening.

Bernard Benedict, who is a student at Columbia university at New York city, is home for a brief visit with his sister, Mrs. W. R. Morgan, of Watkins avenue.

Donors of Tobacco.

The tobacco given the 57 drafted boys who left Tuesday morning for Camp Wadsworth, Spartanburg, S. C., was donated by the following dealers of the city: L. C. Millard, Central Cigar store, Ingham Brothers, L. D. Stude, Stude's Drug store, City Drug store and Albert Hutson, Inc.

West End Baptist Church.

West End Baptist church, River and Miller streets, Rev. Norman S. Burd, pastor. Morning service at 10:30. Theme, "Jesus is Coming." Bible school at 11:45 a. m. Junior Endeavor at 2 p. m. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Evening service at 7:30. A pastor from Syracuse will occupy the pulpit in the evening.

Births.

Born, Wednesday evening, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Thayer, Oneonta Plains, a son, Orlo Robert.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. James Lynch of 44 London avenue, on May 29, a son.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Horton, 1 Morgan avenue, Friday evening, a son, Ralph Stoughton.

How Ireland Would Be Free.

Ireland would be set free by the Kaiser's aid to about the same extent as the conquered Russian provinces have been.—(New York World.)

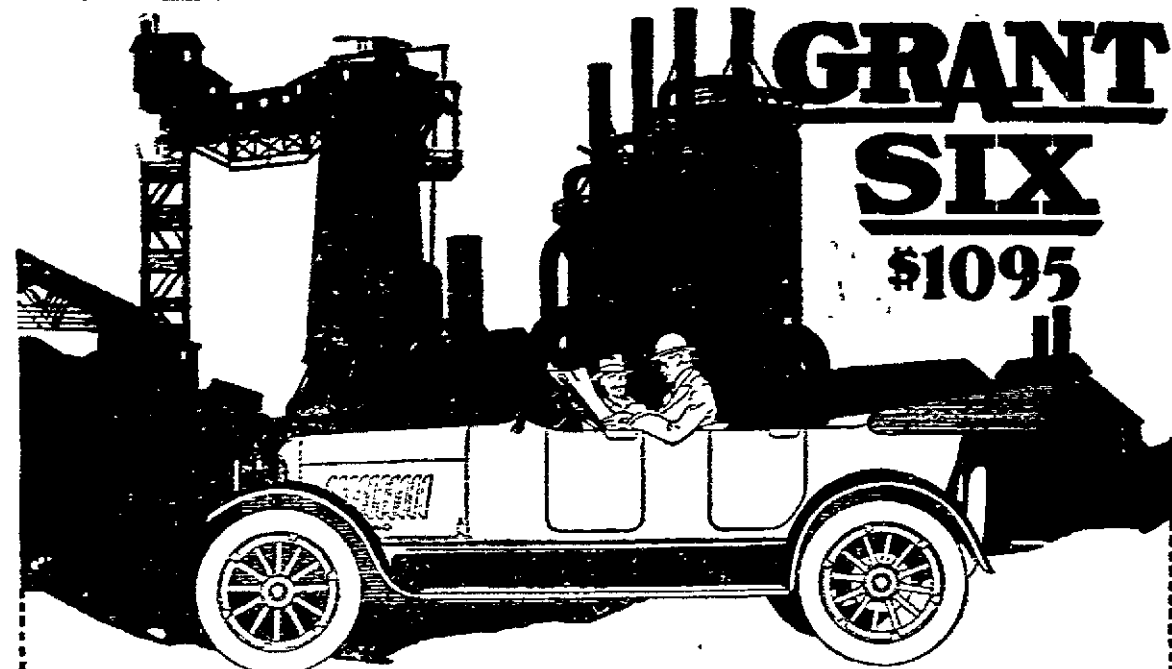
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